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that Senator Landis said about the addiction of tobacco is true. It's very difficult to quit. I was able to do so finally, as have been an enumerable number of people in this country. It is possible to quit. A lot of people in this body here today at one time smoked, at one time realized that it was a very bad thing, and it is a bad thing, and Senator Landis is pursuing an excellent mean, pardon me, an excellent end. He is using unfortunate means. He is going to tax it out of existence. Nothing that I know of has, including liquor in the Volstead Amendment, has ever been taxed out of existence, but one thing is wrong. When you take the power of the state to tax and use it to change social behavior, what you are doing is wrong and that is my objection to this bill. I will not vote for this bill. I won't vote for Senator Landis' amendments. You can't sugarcoat this thing well enough. If you want the money, raise the money somehow to do something with...but the minute you try to change someone's social behavior it ain't going to work. A mayor of Chicago named Thompson, probably one of the most corrupt men in the history of politics in the United States, says you can't legislate morality. You can't tax it either. The law of unintended consequences will move in and obviate everything that Senator Landis wants to do.

PRESIDENT MAURSTAD: One minute.

SENATOR TYSON: I urge you to think about it in those terms. It's not a matter of the tobacco lobby. It's a matter that we are using the power of the state in a manner that is wrong, and nothing we can say here or do here will make that right. If we've got a strong case, let's argue the case, but we can't do it in this fashion. Please, think about what this bill really does and vote against it. Thank you.

PRESIDENT MAURSTAD: Thank you, Senator Tyson. Discussion on the Landis amendment? Senator Engel.

SENATOR ENGEL: Mr. President, members of the body, I agree with what Senator Landis is trying to do, trying to prevent smoking from teenagers, trying to get people who are smoking now to quit, because I know how terrible that smoking is and how it can affect your health. I quit 21 years ago. I was a heavy smoker. I had heart surgery a year after that. If I hadn't quit